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at this port for the week ended May 24, 1902: During the week 4 bills of health were issued to vessels clearing for ports in the United States. On May 23, 1902, the American schooner *Edward Steward*, clearing for Fernandina, Fla., was disinfected before leaving. The mortuary report for this port shows 1 death due to infantile tetanus, and the sanitary condition of the town and surroundings is good. No disease of a quarantinable character has been reported here.

Respectfully,

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The SURGEON-GENERAL,
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Reports from Santiago, Manzanillo, Guantanamo, and Daiquiri.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, *May 19, 1902.*

SIR: Through the chief quarantine officer for the island of Cuba, I have the honor to submit herewith the following report for the week ended May 10, 1902:

Santiago.—During this period there was a total of 10 deaths reported, making the annual rate of mortality for the week 12 per 1,000. The causes of death were the following: Purulent and septicæmic infection, 1; tubercle of lungs, 2; cerebral congestion and hemorrhage, 1; organic diseases of the heart, 1; affections of the larynx, 1; hemoptysis, 1; diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years), 1; senile debility, 1; ill-defined causes of death, 1. During the week 13 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival, 4 vessels passed without inspection, and 1 vessel was boarded and passed on medical officer's certificate. Eleven bills of health were issued to vessels prior to leaving port.

Manzanillo.—Acting Asst. Surg. R. de Socarras reports a total of 3 deaths, making the annual rate of mortality for the week 10.78 per 1,000. The causes of death were as follows: Tuberculous affections, 1; bronchitis, acute, 1; septicæmia, puerperal, 1. During the week 8 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival and 7 vessels received bills of health before sailing.

Guantanamo.—Acting Asst. Surg. H. S. Caminero reports 7 deaths, making the annual rate of mortality for the week 25.16 per 1,000. The causes of death were the following: Fever, intermittent malarial, 2; tubercle of lungs, 1; organic diseases of the heart, 1; pneumonia, 2; rachitis, 1. During the week 2 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival and 3 vessels were passed without inspection, and 2 bills of health were issued to outgoing vessels.

Daiquiri.—Acting Asst. Surg. Juan J. de Jongh reports 1 death, due to tetanus, traumatic. During the week 3 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival and 3 vessels received bills of health prior to sailing.

Respectfully,

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA, *May 20, 1902.*

SIR: Through the chief quarantine officer for the island of Cuba, I have the honor to submit herewith the following report for the week ended May 17, 1902:

Santiago.—During this period there was a total of 13 deaths reported, making the annual rate of mortality for the week 15.72 per 1,000. The causes of death were the following: Fever, intermittent malarial, 1;

tubercle of lungs, 3; tetanus, 1; pneumonia, 1; diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years), 2; diarrhea and enteritis (2 years and over), 1; Bright's disease, 1; ill-defined or unspecified causes of death, 3. During the week 14 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival, 4 vessels were passed without inspection, and 12 vessels received bills of health prior to departure. On May 15, 1902, the provisional flag steamship *Julia* was disinfected prior to sailing for Porto Rico. Ten immune and 17 nonimmune certificates were issued. Forty pieces of baggage were disinfected and 12 pieces were inspected and passed. The Spanish steamship *Conde Wifredo* arrived at this port May 17 from Havana bound for Corunna, Spain. One passenger died at sea, May 16, in transit from Havana. The remains were buried at sea. The ship surgeon's diagnosis was phlegmonous amygdalitis.

Manzanillo.—Acting Asst. Surg. R. de Socarras reports a total of 5 deaths, due to the following causes: Anæmia, 1; diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years), 1; diarrhea and enteritis, chronic, 1; diarrhea and enteritis (2 years and over), 1; Bright's disease, 1. Annual rate of mortality for the week, 18.05 per 1,000. During the week 11 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival, 1 vessel passed without inspection, and 13 vessels were given bills of health prior to leaving port.

Guantanamo.—Acting Asst. Surg. H. S. Caminero reports a total of 9 deaths, the causes of which were as follows: Fever, pernicious malarial, 2; dysentery, 1; tubercle of lungs, 1; tetanus, 1; diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years), 2; accidental traumatism, 2. Annual rate of mortality for the week, 26 per 1,000. During the week 2 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival, 2 vessels passed without inspection, and 2 vessels received bills of health.

Daiquiri.—Acting Asst. Surg. Juan J. de Jongh reports that no deaths have occurred during the week. One vessel was inspected and passed on arrival and 1 vessel received bill of health prior to leaving port.

Respectfully,

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[Inclosures.]

Port of Santiago de Cuba—Summary report for month of April, 1902.

Number of vessels inspected and passed on arrival.....	41
Number of vessels passed without inspection.....	24
Number of vessels boarded and passed on medical officer's certificate.....	0
Number of vessels issued bills of health.....	47
Number of vessels disinfected	4
Number of crew of incoming vessels inspected.....	1, 228
Number of crew of incoming vessels passed without inspection	805
Number of passengers of incoming vessels inspected.....	650
Number of passengers of incoming vessels passed without inspection.....	1, 865
Number of crew of outgoing vessels inspected.....	1, 691
Certificates of vaccination issued—	
Immune	3
Nonimmune.....	36
Applicants for immune certificates rejected	11
Number of persons vaccinated	16
Number of immigrants inspected.....	117
Number of pieces of baggage disinfected	70
Number of pieces of baggage inspected and passed.....	129
Quarantinable diseases reported.....	0
Number of deaths in city.....	81

Daiquiri, Cuba—Summary report for month of April, 1902.

Number of vessels inspected and passed on arrival.....	7
Number of vessels issued bills of health.....	7
Number of crew of incoming vessels inspected.....	184
Number of crew of outgoing vessels inspected.....	184
Number of persons vaccinated.....	0
Number of immigrants inspected.....	0
Quarantinable diseases reported.....	0
Number of deaths reported.....	1

Guantanamo, Cuba—Summary report for month of April, 1902.

Number of vessels inspected and passed on arrival.....	6
Number of vessels passed without inspection..	13
Number of vessels issued bills of health.....	12
Number of crew of incoming vessels inspected.....	181
Number of crew of incoming vessels passed without inspection.....	333
Number of passengers of incoming vessels inspected.....	10
Number of passengers of incoming vessels passed without inspection.....	366
Number of crew of outgoing vessels inspected.....	340
Number of persons vaccinated.....	0
Number of immigrants inspected.....	0
Quarantinable diseases reported.....	0
Number of deaths reported.....	31

Manzanillo, Cuba—Summary report for month of April, 1902.

Number of vessels inspected and passed on arrival.....	27
Number of vessels passed without inspection.....	14
Number of vessels issued bills of health.....	41
Number of crew of incoming vessels inspected.....	634
Number of crew of incoming vessels passed without inspection.....	382
Number of passengers of incoming vessels inspected.....	415
Number of passengers of incoming vessels passed without inspection.....	304
Number of crew of outgoing vessels inspected.....	346
Number of persons vaccinated.....	0
Number of immigrants inspected.....	2
Quarantinable diseases reported.....	0
Number of deaths in city reported.....	16

*Inspection of immigrants at Santiago de Cuba during the week ended May 10, 1902.**SANTIAGO DE CUBA, May 10, 1902.*

SIR: I herewith submit report of alien steerage passengers arriving at this port during the week ended May 10, 1902. May 5, provisional flag steamship *Tomas Brooks*, from Port au Prince, with 4 immigrants. May 8, American steamship *Seneca*, from New York, with 2 immigrants; provisional flag steamship *Maria Herrera*, from San Juan, P. R., with 2 immigrants. May 10, provisional flag steamship *Tomas Brooks*, from Kingston, Jamaica, with 5 immigrants. Total, 13.

Respectfully,

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The SURGEON-GENERAL,
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*Inspection of immigrants at Santiago de Cuba during the week ended May 17, 1902.**SANTIAGO DE CUBA, May 17, 1902.*

SIR: I herewith submit report of alien steerage passengers arriving at this port during the week ended May 17, 1902. May 12, Spanish